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SUBJECT: FY-1977 SPORTS PROPOSAL

REFERENCE: A-2455

1. IF POSTS INTERESTED, CU/AF CONSIDERING POSSIBILITY OF
PROGRAMMING ARMED FORCES BOXING TEAM, RPT ARMED FORCES,
AFTER THEIR PARTICIPATION IN INTERNATIONAL BOXING TOURNA-
MENT IN GHANA -- OCTOBER 16-25, 1976.

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PROGRAM GUIDELINES: ---

(A) TEAM OF 2 BOXERS PLUS 1 COACH WOULD VISIT 2 WEST AFRICAN COUNTRIES AFTER GHANAIAN TOURNAMENT FOR APPROXIMATELY 10 DAYS TOTAL. PROGRAM TO EMPHASIZE COACHING, WORKSHOPS, AND DEMONSTRATIONS RATHER THAN COMPETITIONS. POSTS SHOULD ENDEAVOR TO DEVELOP INSTRUCTIVE PROGRAMS AND EXHIBITIONS WHICH WOULD EXPOSE THE PARTICIPANTS TO THE MAXIMUM NUMBER OF INTERESTED YOUTH GROUPS. DOD IS AWARE OF NATURE AND PURPOSE OF STATE-SPONSORED ATHLETIC TOURS AND IS WILLING TO HAVE THE MILITARY IDENTITY OF SUCH TOURING GROUPS HANDLED AS MAY BE REQUIRED BY LOCAL CIRCUMSTANCES.

(B) SPONSORSHIP AND COSTS OF INTER-COUNTRY TRAVEL, PER DIEM FOR TEAM, AND ANY EXPENSES NOT SPONSORED BY HOST COUNTRIES WILL BE SHARED AMONG PARTICIPATING POSTS. IF POSSIBLE A LOCAL SPONSOR OR HOST GOVERNMENT SHOULD PROVIDE IN-COUNTRY LOGISTIC SUPPORT INCLUDING ROOM, BOARD, INTERNAL TRAVEL, PERFORMANCE SITES, AND PUBLICITY.

ACTION REQUESTED: ---

EACH POST SHOULD REPLY BY SEPTEMBER 1 WHETHER OR NOT BOXING IS DESIRED AND CAN BE SCHEDULED FOR A PERIOD OF APPROXIMATELY 10 DAYS IN OCTOBER-NOVEMBER 1976. IF AFFIRMATIVE, THE FOLLOWING ITEMS SHOULD BE RESOLVED AND SPECIFICATIONS FORWARDED TO THE DEPARTMENT BY SEPTEMBER 15:

(A) INTERNAL ITINERARY, INCLUDING CITIES AND NUMBER OF DAYS DESIRED IN EACH (IF MORE THAN ONE CITY TO BE INCLUDED) AND ANY RESTRICTIVE DATES OR TIMES THE GROUP CANNOT BE RECEIVED.

(B) LOCAL SPONSORS AND DEGREE TO WHICH THEY WILL BE ABLE TO PROVIDE LOGISTIC SUPPORT. ALSO PLEASE SUBMIT A DETAILED ESTIMATE OF COSTS FOR A FIRST-CLASS ROOM AND BOARD, WORKING FACILITIES, AND INTERNAL TRANSPORTATION IF THESE EXPENSES ARE NOT TO BE PROVIDED BY THE SPONSOR.

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(C) NAME OF EMBASSY PROJECT OFFICER CHARGED WITH ASSURING SATISFACTORY GUIDANCE AND ASSISTANCE TO THE GROUP IN ALL ASPECTS OF THE TOUR, INCLUDING MATTERS OF HEALTH. KISSINGER

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